

## Indiana Department of Environmental Management Office of Water Quality Wetlands Section

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**Closing Date:** 

April 18, 2016

**PUBLIC NOTICE** 

**IDEM ID Number:** 2016-022-71-MBS-A

Corps of Engineers ID Number: LRE-2015-00772-171-R16

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To all interested parties:

This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for Section 401 Water Quality Certification by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana's water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2.

1. Applicant:

Pokegan Band of Potawatomi Indians

58620 Sink Road

Dowagiac, Michigan 49047

3. Project location:

Section 23, Township 36 North, Range 1 West, North Liberty U.S.G.S. Quad, St. Joseph County Site is located southeast of the Kankakee River and New Road intersection in North Liberty

2. Agent:

4. Affected waterbody:

Miller Ditch

5. Project Description:

The applicant is applying for Section 401 WQC to authorize the placement of 2,180 cubic yards of earthen material within 735 linear feet (0.13-acres) of Miller Ditch. The purpose of the proposed filling is to facilitate the creation/enhancement of 22.2 total acres of wetland at four separate locations on the Site. For additional information, please visit the webpage at http://www.in.gov/idem/6396.htm

Comment period:

Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the water quality certification review process.

Public Hearing:

Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.

Questions?

Additional information may be obtained from Mr. Matthew Smedley, Project Manager, by phone at 317-234-5647or by e-mail at msmedley@idem.in.gov. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM's final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to -

Indiana Department of Environmental Management 100 North Senate Avenue MC65-42 WQS IGCN 1255 Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251 FAX: 317/232-8406



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IN COOPERATION WITH

ST. JOSEPH COUNTY SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT INDIANA

DETAIL PLANS FOR

## Wetland Enhancement

Pokagon WRP



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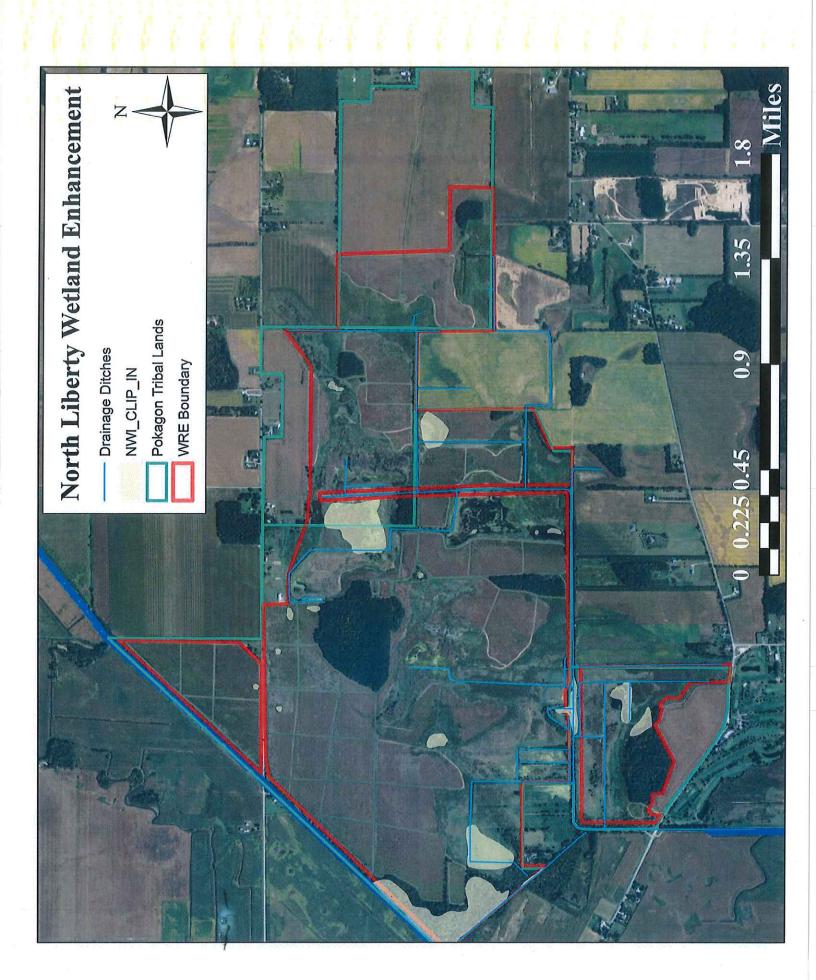
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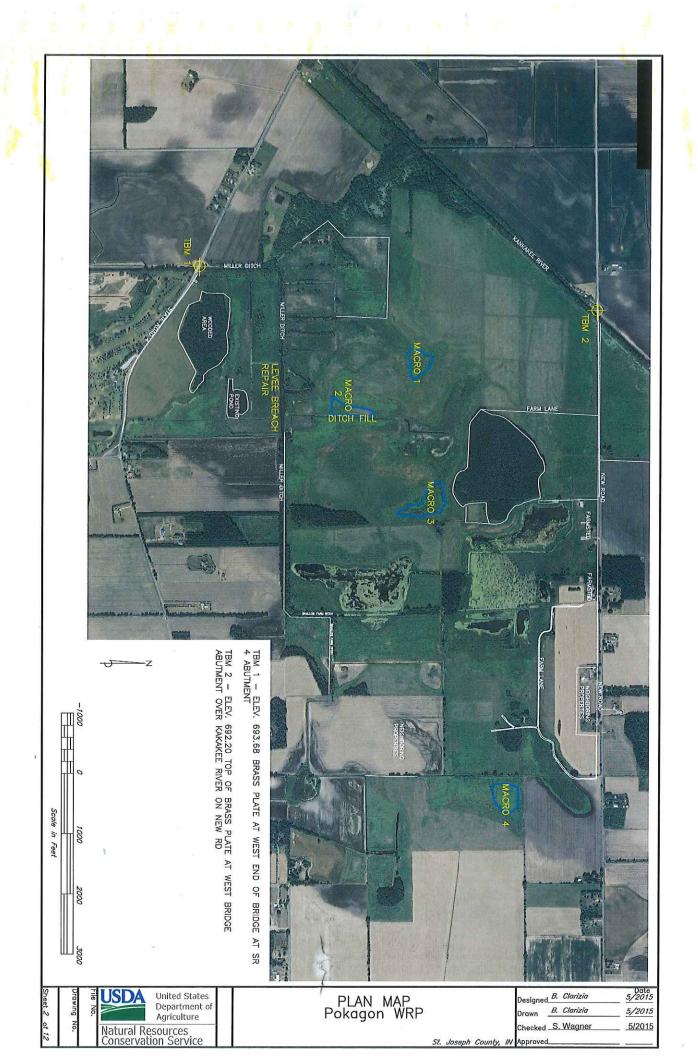
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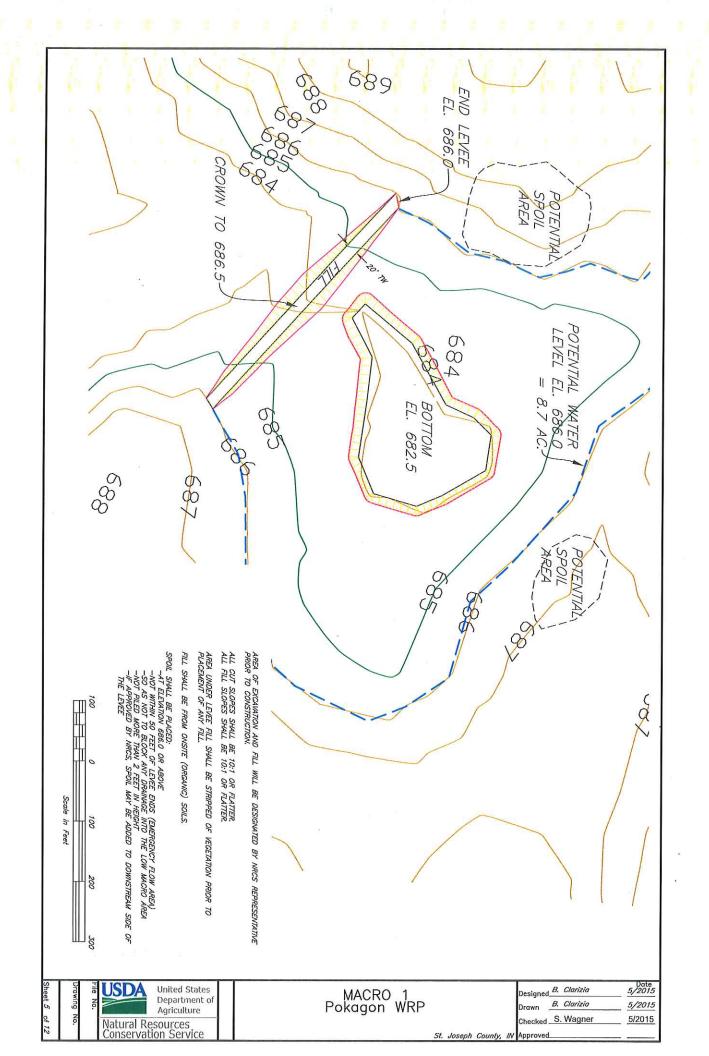
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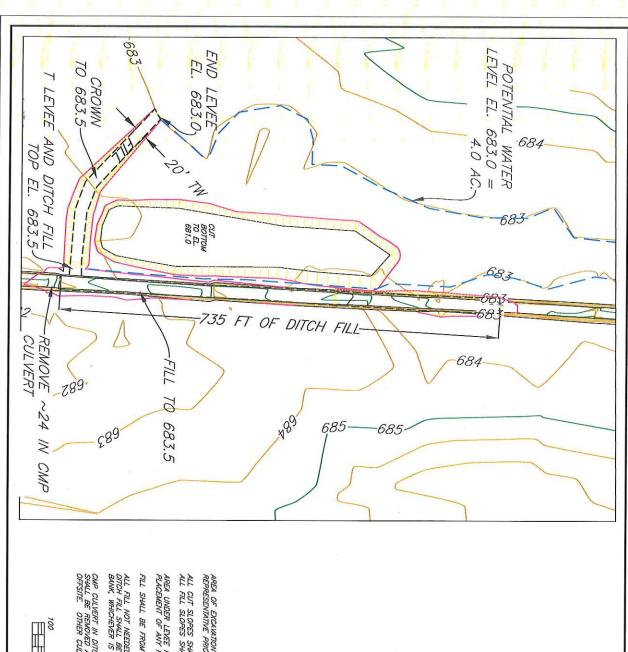
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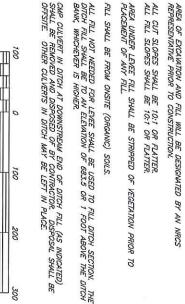
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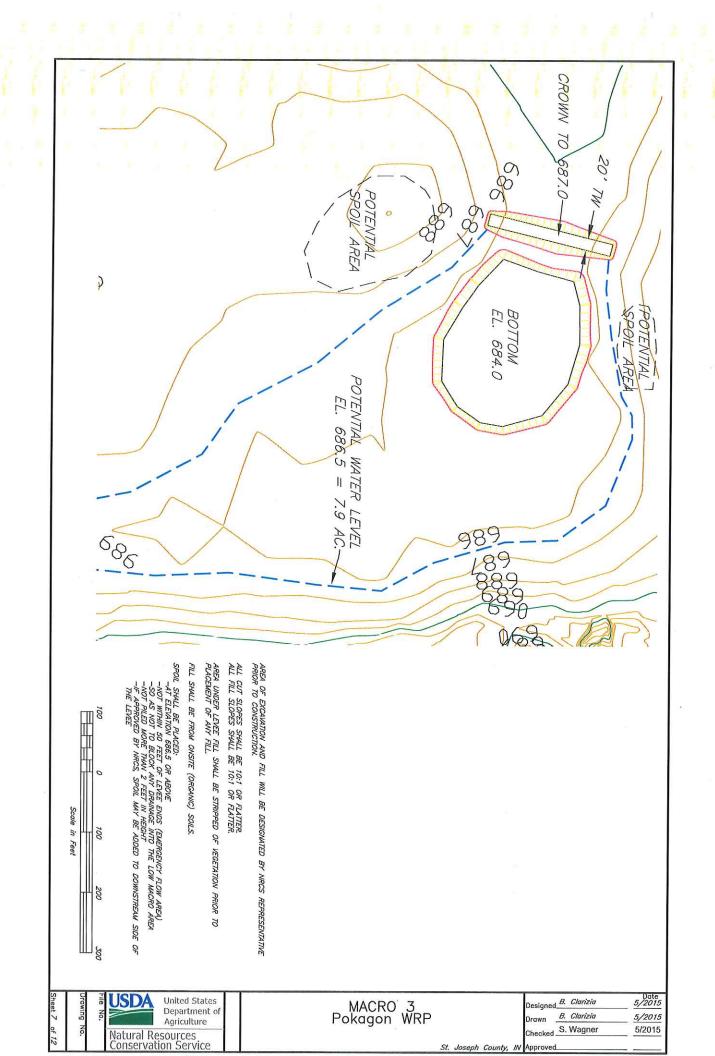
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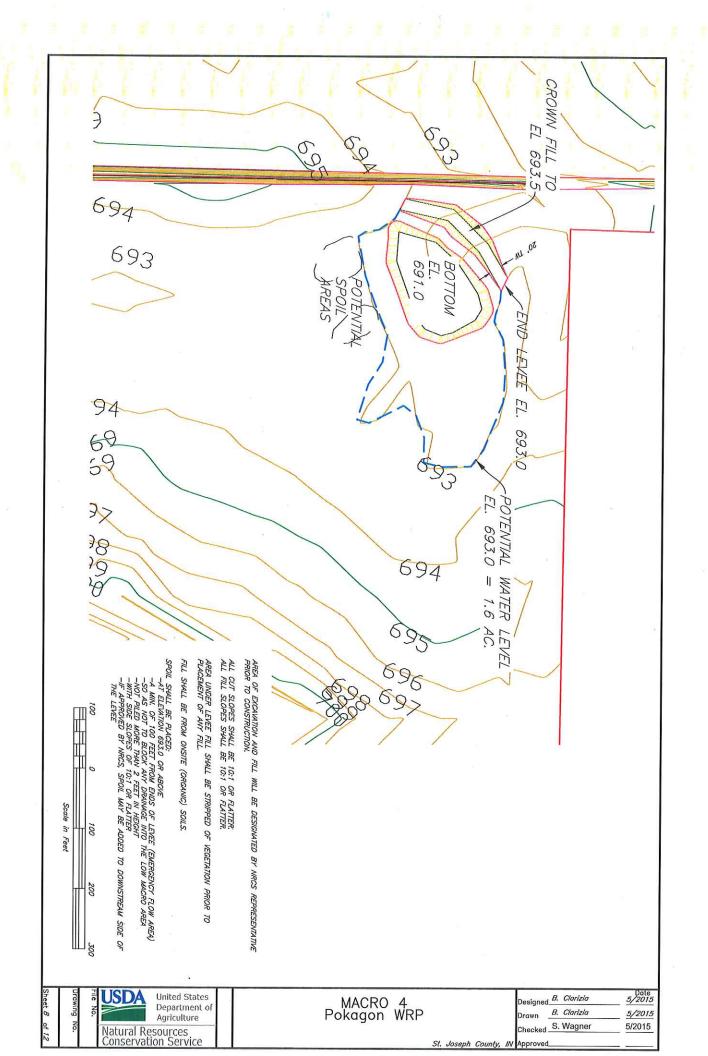
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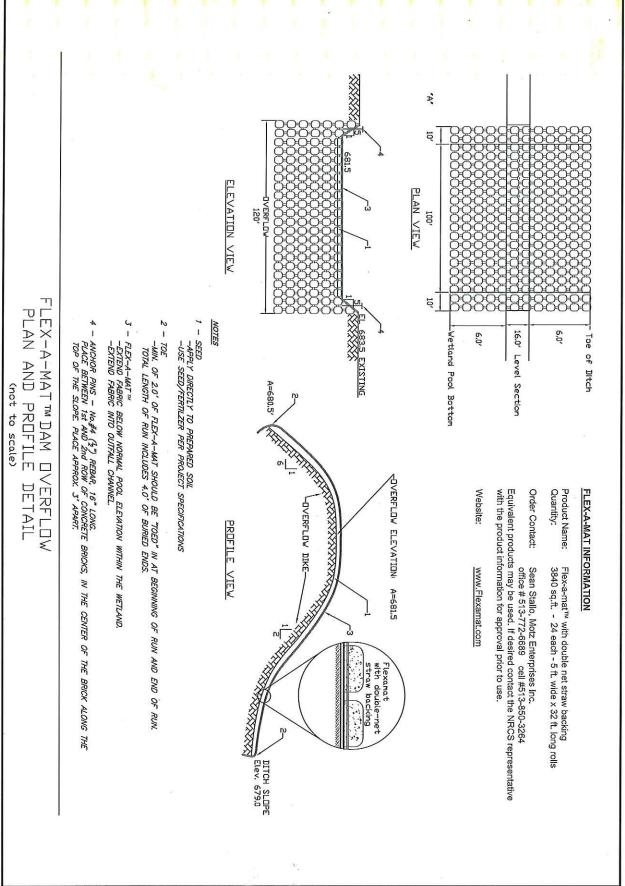
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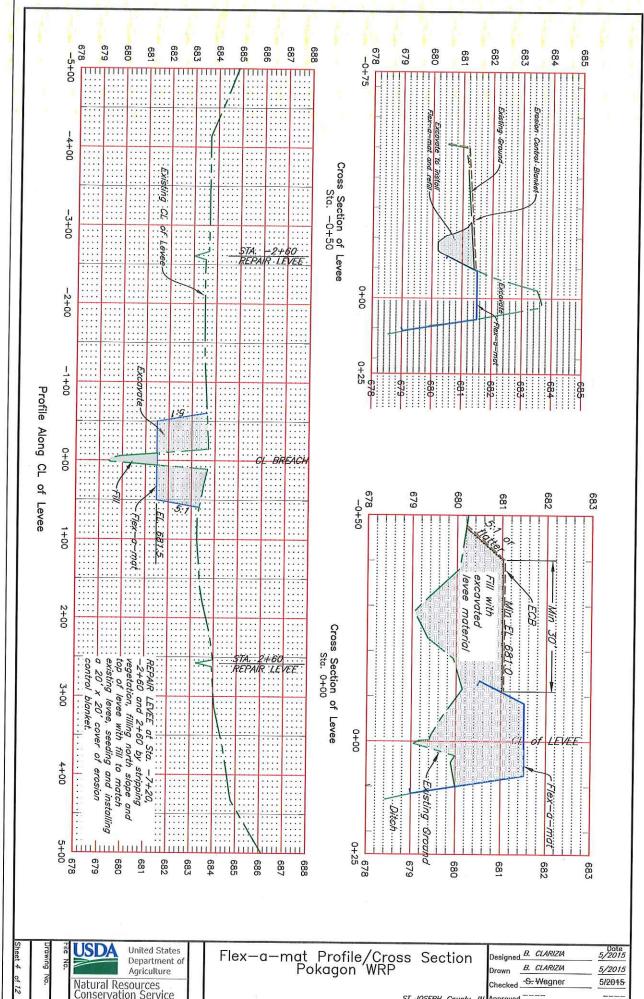


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